GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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ASSISTANCE TO TAMIL NADU FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DAMS
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to provide adequate financial assistance to Tamil Nadu Government for constructing Kodaiyaru, Keeriyaru Dam, Alagar Dam in Virudunagar district and Therappanpatti Dam in Madurai district; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) Detailed Project Reports for techno-economic appraisal for Kodaiyaru, Keeriyaru Dam, Alagar Dam in Virudunagar district and Therappanpatti Dam in Madurai district have not been received in Central Water Commission from the Government of Tamil Nadu. The Central Loan Assistance (CLA) under Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) is given to only such approved ongoing major/medium irrigation projects which fulfill the norms of this programme.